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## Officer Chris Clites Memorial

All media are invited to attend a small memorial held on December 10, 2018 at the Columbus Division of Police 5<sup>th</sup> precinct substation, located at 1371 Cleveland Avenue. The memorial is to recognize the 25<sup>th</sup> anniversary of Officer Chris Clites who made the ultimate sacrifice for his community.

Officer Clites was shot and killed in the line of duty while chasing an armed gunman in the Linden community on December 10, 1993.

The service will begin at 7:00 P.M. in the roll call room. A motorcade will follow the conclusion of the memorial and drive by the Columbus Police Memorial, located at Genoa Park. The motorcade will then proceed to Obetz Cemetery for a brief graveside service.

Officer Clites' sister, Officer Carrie (Clites) Meader has served with Groveport Police for 21 years and is assigned to day shift patrol. She is married to CPD Cmdr. Robert Meader who completed the training academy with Officer Chris Clites in November 1990 as members of the 77<sup>th</sup> Recruit Class.

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